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# MR. HAWKER ABOUT TO START ON TRANSATLANTIC TRIP



Painting the white cross on Fermoy Island, Ireland, where, it is hoped, he will land.



Lieut.-Com. Mackenzie-Grieve to make observations.



Mr. Harry Hawker. He is among the pioneers.



Mrs. Hawker anxiously seeking news over the telephone yesterday. She knows no more than the public.



Mrs. Hawker at her home, with her baby, yesterday.



Mr. Hawker making his last trial flight in England.

Mr. Harry Hawker, the Australian pioneer airman, is waiting to start. He is at St. John's, Newfoundland, the selected starting-point, waiting for the weather to clear. He was delayed on Saturday by the bad weather, but he made preparations to start

as soon as the conditions became better. His wife spent an anxious afternoon yesterday. Had he started? No one could tell her, though they wanted to know themselves.—(Daily Mirror photographs.)

# SHOPPING ORGY FOR GRACK O' THE WHIP. EASTER HOLIDAYS.

# Sales Doubled in Many Drapery Shops.

# WHAT WOMEN BOUGHT.

Easter is bringing out the shopper. The sales af a West End drapery firm

increased by 50 per cent. last week. Here are the statistics of a day's sales in West End shop, given by the manager to The Daily Mirror:

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29. Ild. to 12s. 6d. a pair.

The Daily Mirror learns that there is a tremendous demand for spring costumes for Easter holiday wear, as there is for shawl tweed coats and coloured mackintoshes.

Women are buying panel straws ranging from 12s, 6d. to 3s. One customer paid two and a half guineas for bird of paradise plunage.

Fifty Teddy coats was the sale in one day at one shop.

There is also a demand for summer handembro-dered muslin gowns, which women are using as substitutes for evening dresses. A West End cleaning establishment is snowed under with orders, as many as eighty costumes and twenty-four evening gowns being received in one day for treatment.

# A MOTHER'S DEVOTION.

# Leaves Sick Bed to Save Daughter from Flames.

## From Our Own Correspondent

SHEFFIELD, Sunday.

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Ella Willcock, aged thirteen, was at housework in Sheffield to-day when her clothing accidentally caught fire.

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The mother, who lay in bed with influenza, hearing screams, hurried downstairs and found the child ablaze from head to foot, but managed to extinguish the flames by rolling her in the hearthrug.

Mother and daughter were hurried to hospital. The child was detained in a very serious condition, but Mrs. Willcook, after having her hands and arms dressed (she was severely burned too) returned home to bed.

# BOLO AS KHEDIVE'S AGENT

# Humbert Trial Story of Campaign Against England.

During the Humbert trial yesterday, Mme. de Rochebrune, formerly a friend of the Khedive Abbas Hilmi, declared that she was ware that the Khedive whiseld to open a campaign against England, with Bolo as the principal agent. She wrole to Humbert on the matter and made the work of the work of the work of the work of the state of the Seals the revelations of Mme. de Rochebrune, on the request of M. Poincare.

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# "ROMEO AND JULIET."

# Perfect Staging of Great Love Story in New London Production.

In a London of war plays and revues "Romeo and Juliet"—the story of two eternal loverswas set going at the Lyric Theatre last Saturday.

And it is a matter for rejoicing that Miss Doris Keane and Mr. Basil Sydney give fit setting to this story of throbbing delight: perfect staging, warm and imaginative colouring.

Yet the present Romeo and Juliet are not the lovers of the romance. Miss Keane somehow misses the proof of the romance. Miss Keane somehow misses the proof of coquetry whimsical Juliet with the present law of coquetry. Mr. Basil Sydney lacks the grace and movement that we look for in the ideal Romeo.

Miss Ellen Terry is mraculously young, and her personality overspreads the stage. The sweetest, yet the shrewdest Nurse our theatre has seen.

# GENERAL ELECTION SOON?

There must shortly be a general election, for the present House of Commons could not last long, declared Mr. Will Thorne at Canning Town last night.

SATURDAY'S RACING AT NEWBURY, THE NOTTINGHAM PROGRAMME, BOXING, FOOTBALL, LAWN TENNIS AND GENERAL SPORTING NEWS WILL BE FOUND ON PAGES 14 AND 15.

# PEERAGE ROMANCE.

Incidents of Coach Journey from Piccadilly to Richmond.

# THE OLD TIMES RETURN.

Coaching started again yesterday. Mr. Harry Walter put his first coach on the road from Princes' Restaurant to the Greyhound, Rich-

Princes' Restaurant to the originatus mond.

"I shall run a coach after May I every day from Princes' to the Greyhound, starting after lunch," said Mr. Watter to The Daily Mirror.
"I have two other coaches going on the road, but we must start modestly.
"The Remount," coach and its pioneer passengers met with a sort of public ovation yesterday.

The near side leader was a bit restive, and did not seem to understand that it had "got into civvies," and was no longer a salioning charger. Still, Mr. Watter is an estellent whip, and "The Remount" reached the Greyhound in Safety.

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Here there was a great scene of welcome from Mr. F. Haw and the rest of the coaching notabilities. "I am proud to welcome the old coach on the old road once again," Mr. Haw said.

There was a scene of rejoicing at the old house—it dates back to 1492—which made every-body realise that the crack of the coachman's whip in rural England is regarded as the real and authentic sign of peace.

# UNCONSCIOUS ON MOORS.

# Girl Found Severely Injured-Married Man's End in Stream.

# From Our Own Correspondent

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A tragic affair occurred at Whitworth, near here, last night. The body of a man, named Joseph Buckley, aged twenty-one, was recovered from a mill stream, while a girl of sixteen, named Minnie Boycotts, who had been lodging with him and his wife, was found unconscious on the moors, with her head and face badly battered. She hes in the infirmary in a critical condition.

Buckley is said to have left letters to his wife and parents, in which he stated that he and the girl decided to die together. The girl, it appears, was to have returned to her home at Rochdale on Saturday evening.

# GERMAN OFFICER'S ESCAPE

# Polite Note to Camp from Which He Tunnelled a Way Out.

# From Our Own Correspondent.

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Oswrstra, Sa turday.

The Shropshire police on Saturday night relinquished their quest of Lieutena t. F. P.

Schreimuller, a young German officer who escaped firm a prisoners' of war hospital at Park Hall Camp, Oswestry, during a snow blizzard in March in a daring manner by tunnelling.

Schreimuller had written to say that he had arrived safely at Rotterdam after a pleasant voyage, and expressed thanks for the kind treatment received at Fark Hall Camp, of which he would ever have "lively recollections."

# FUSILLADE OF PENNIES.

# Trafalgar-square Speaker Takes Refuge Behind Umbrella,

An unexpected interruption greeted a speaker, at a Trafalgar-square demonstration yesterday afternoon. From a group of soldiers and sailors came a shower of coppers, which pelted on the plinth of the Nelson Column.

The crowd joined in the fusillade, and very soon pennies and smaller coins were fring from all directions.

The speaker faced the flying coins with the protection of an umbrella, and the money was collected and commandeered for the relief of the dependants of the men whose cause the demonstrators were pleading.

The meeting was organised by the London The meeting was organised by the London The meeting was organised by the Condon The Mannard the release of Dark Ramsay and W. F. Watson, who were recently sent to prison for offences under D.O.R.A.

# HORSES DASH INTO THE SEA.

# From Our Own Correspondent.

Scirregoridant.

Two runaway horses dashed into the sea at Scarborough to-day and swam into the harbour. Chased by some men in a boat, they made across the harbour and landed on the other side, where they were captured.

# SWIFT FLIGHT TO PARIS.

Paris, Saturday, A British aeroplane left Hendon at 5.20 this afternoon and reached Paris at 4.35, the speed, with a favourable wind, being 275 kilometres an hour.—Exchange.

V.C.s at the Palace.—About 340 honours—including three V.C.s and two V.C.s to next-of-kin—were conferred by the King at Saturday's Investure.

# Former Chorus Girl at Daly's Becomes Lady St. Oswald.

DEATH OF THE SECOND BARON. Lord St. Oswald died suddenly of hear ailure yesterday at Torquay. His heir, who will ow succeed nim in the barony, is the Hon, towland George Winn, who in 1915 married liss Evic Carew, of the chorus of Daly's heatre.

Rowland George Winn, who in 1915 married Miss Evic Carew, of the chorus of Daly's Theatre.

Until a week before her marriage the new Lady St. Oswald was playing in "Betty," the musical play their running at Daly's. Her marriage took place by special licence at St. Saviour's Church, Paddington.

It happened that when the birde and bride-groom arrived at the church tweaty-five minutes late, owing to their having had to wait for the best man, the vicar had left only a few minutes before. Then followed a hurried search by the vestry clerk in the bridegroom's motovear for someone to marry the waiting couple. For mandly, a clergyman was found and the cermony was performed.

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The father, Among the plays in which she appeared were. "Gipsy Love," "The Country Girl" and "The Marriage Market."

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The new peer went to the front at the beginning of the war, and was severely wounded more than once.

The late Lord St. Oswald was the second baron of a creation of 1855. He was a good all-round sportsman, and spent much of his time at his country seat, Nostell Priory, mar Wakefield, which is noted for its 250 fallow deer and its mile-long avenue of the country seat, a daughter of the Charles Forbes, of Newe, died last February.

# 74 WEDS 69.

# Bride Given Away to Third Husband by Boy of Thirteen.

# From Our Own Correspondent.

Hutz, Sunday.
A curious wedding took place at Hull on Saturday, in which the bride, Susan Linquist, was seventy-four years of age and the bride-groom, John Thompson, dock labourer, sixtynine.

groom, John Intempen, teek tabuter, so nine, bride, who was given away by a boy of thirteen, had been twice married before. She was the oldest, she said, of a family of twenty-six, including step-children. The bridegroom was a widower. He lost his first wife in a Zeppelin raid on Hull, when his home was demolished.

The bride said she had had two previous marriage certificates framed and hung on the wall at home, and she intended also having this one framed.

# "LUXURY TRAINS."

# "Regular Kentish Coasters" to Get Back Maximum Comfort.

Back Maximum Comfort.

"Maximum comfort in travel" has been for ten years the primary object of the Association of Regular Kent Coasters.

The coasters are mostly city professional and business men, who come every morning to London from Mangate, Ramsgate and such places and return there every might.

But since the wat, so The had to deny the story of the S.E. and C.R. maximum comfort. It was no use grunbling, for many of the coasters were doing longer journeys in cattle trucks in France.

Now things are as they were; every morning—on the 75 and 7.45 from Ramsgate and the 8.7 from Margate—a pienic saloon is reserved for second-class season coasters and first-class seasons have the exclusive use of an ordinary saloon.

saloon.

Coasters' wives say the arrangement is good. When it comes to deciding whether to come home early in a luxurious saloon or late in a dreary, over-full compartment, the impulse to domesticity is overwhelming.

# FIRE AT SCHOOL-HOUSE,

# Narrow Escape of Occupants in Their Night Attire.

Eastfield House, Ditchling, near Hassocks, was destroyed by fire during the week-end.

A preparatory school-has been carried on there, and only two days previously the boys left for their holidays.

About half a dozen persons were on the premises, and they had arrow and exciting escapes. The historic house and dormitories were gutted despite the united efforts of the Ditchling, Hassocks and Burgess Hill and Mid-Sussex Fire Brigades.

# CANNOT ENFORCE "DRYNESS."

Washington, Sunday,
Mr. Roper, the international revenue collector, following an examination of all the statutes
and regulations, announces that no Government,
agency is authorised to enforce prohibition on

sident Wilson may be asked to defer the tion of the law.—Central News.

# BEATTY NOT RETIRED BUT ON HALF PAY.

# Great Eritish Admiral Now Unemployed.

# SERVICE REGULATIONS.

The statement that Admiral Sir David Beatty has been retired is incorrect.

This was the information given yesterday to The Daily Mirror on behalf of Sir David

Beatty.

"The actual facts are these," The Daily Mirror was further informed, "Sir David is unemployed at the present moment. Therefore, by the regulations of the Service, he is placed on half pay.

"Sir David does not even know what his present rate of pay is."
As a matter of fact, the half-pay of an Admiral of the Fleet is £1,095 per annum.
Needless to add, the unemployment of Britain's great salor formed the subject of much comment in service circles.

The only suggestion put forward yesterday for the satisfactory adjustment of this anomalous state of affairs is the establishment of an office like that of Sir Douglas Haigs—Le., in command of all the home forces.

There was a good detection of the satisfactory adjusts the satisfactory adjusts the satisfactory will be a satisfactory adjusted to Sir David's unemployment, as it was generally understood that he was about to be made First Sea Lord.

# ZEEBRUGGE ANNIVERSARY

# Paris to Fete British Sailors on St. George's Day.

Fètes are being organised in Paris in honour of the two British squaarons which are to arrive at Brest and Cherbourg on April 22.

There will be a great fete on the 23rd, St. George's Day, which is the anniversary of the famous attack on Zeebrugge.

There will be approximately 1,000 sailors, 200 petty officers and 150 officers, including several admirals, with Admiral Beatty at their head.

On the 25rd and 24th there will be great demonstrations at the Invalides and the Sorbonne and receptions at the Elysee and the Hotel de Ville.

In the evening a pala revessor tailor, will.

Ville.

In the evening a gala representation will be given at the opera for the officers and one at another theatre for the petty officers and sailors. The Minister of Marine will give a dinner in their honour. After the departure of the sailors on the 24th the petty officers will visit Versailles.—Wireless Press

# IN THE TOWER.

# Mysterious Mr. Brown Who Was Landed from a Steamer.

Landed from a Steamer.

The mysterious Mr. Brown who was landed at Deal from the steamship Stamboul is a prisoner in the Tower of London.

He was sanveyed to London from Dover after undergoing Stammation by the military authorities.

In only is warn made into his identity and his doings in constantinople. His papers bore in the stamboul, a Norwegian vessel of about 2,600 tons, is engaged in repatriating Germans from Turkey, and called at Gibraltar on her way to Hamburg.

She stopped off Deal about noon on Friday and was boarded by a rarty from a British destroyer, who brought Mr. Brown ashore.

Mr. Brown was further interrogated in London, and the papers in the case will eventually be dealt with at the London District Head-quarters.

# COSTLY CAULIFLOWERS.

# The Result of Bad Weather and Early Frosts." Says Salesman.

Vegetables were scarcer and dearer than ever on Saturday.

Canliflowers ranged from 9d. to 1s. 9d. each. The 9d, were small and yellow. "The result of bad weather and early frosts," said a salesman to The Daily Mirror.

The better variety are imported from the Channel Islands, hence the high prices. Mint was also short. Threepence purchased only what could formerly be bought for a salerady said in The Daily Mirror, large supplies will arrive from Australia during the week following Easter. lowing Easter.

# WHERE THE SUN SHONE.

Much sunshine was recorded in England and Wales, most districts enjoying over seven hours yesterday. Worthing, Eastbourne, Littlehamp-ton and Bournemouth had ten hours' sunshine, and other records included: Hastings and Rhyt nine hours, Ramsgate, Yarmouth, Felixstowe, Clacton and Southport eight hours.

# TO-DAY'S WEATHER.

South-East England.—Fresh or strong S.W. wind, mainly dull, rain at times.

# POSTPONED FLIGHT—"TIGER'S" REPARATIONS JO

# PREMIER RETURNS TO-NIGHT.

Reparation and the Saar Questions Settled.

# CLEMENCEAU'S GREAT JOY

By Our Parliamentary Correspondent.

The Prime Minister returns to London

from Paris this evening.

He will attend the meeting of the Cabinet to-morrow, and make his speech on the peace outlook at an early stage of Wednes-

peace outlook at an early stage of Wednes-day's sitting of the House.

If, as usual, on days when Parliament ad-journs for a holiday, the House meets at noon, Mr. Lloyd George should be on his feet be-tween twelve and one.

It is quite certain that he will not disclose the peace terms until they have been handed to the Germans, but there are manner of the the desired of the desired of the deal.

I shall be greatly surprised if he does not have something to say in reply to his critics at home.

## THE INDEMNITY.

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In connection with the Prime Minister's reply to the telegram from 370 members of Parliament about the indemnity, Colonel Claude Lowther, M.P., addressed a further telegram to Mr. Lloyd George, saying:

contribution it is decided the enemy countries can pay to-day shall only be accepted as payment on account, and that ways and means and date of further contributions will be devised when law and order are restored, and when the potential assets of Germany can be more easily guaged. Such an assurance would allay all anxiety in the House and all disquietude in the country."

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Yesterday the following reply was restrom Paris:—
"I am desired by the Prime Minister to assure you, in answer to your telegram, that the experts, while estimating the amount of the indemnity that Germany can pay, will take full account of further possibilities."

Paris, Sunday.

More than three-fourths of the articles of the Peace Treaty have been draited, and the work of drafting the articles concerning Reparation, Indemnities, Future status of the Saar Valley,

Indemnities,
Future status of the Saar Valley,
Left bank of the Rhine and
Germany's eastern frontier
is now proceeding.
It is hinted that there may be no specific
Treaty with the Turkish Empire, which may
cease to exist as a separate entity.

# REPARATION.

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The Echo de Paris says that an important conference was held yesterday between Mr. Lloyd George, M. Clemenceau and Emis Peisul, with the object of arriving at a more satisfactory solution respecting Eastern affairs.—Exchange.

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Clemenceau, speaking to a deputation of Radical and Socialist group yesterday,

M. Clemeneau, speaking to a deputation of the Radical and Socialist group yesterday, said:—
"I have the great joy to-day of being able to announce that the question of reparations is settled between the Allies on the basis desired by this deputation." A similar remark applies to the Saar Basin. These are results which were not attained without serious difficulty."—
White the serious difficulty. The present of the same of the serious difficulty. The present of the serious difficulty of the serious difficulty. The present of the serious difficulty for the war lies upon Germany will be duly recognised.—Reuter.

The Liberts says the only outstanding matter is that of the occupation in the Rhineland, which, it is understood, will be some fifteen years. Not a single German soldier will remain on the left bank. On the right bank there will be a military neutral zone of twenty-five miles.—Exchange.

An Exchange message says: In a few days' time the German delegates will be asked to attend to be informed of the preliminary terms of peace.

# KIAMIL PASHA HANGED.

Constantinopte, Sunday.

Sentence has at last been delivered in the case of those responsible for the deportations and massacres in the Yozghad district.

The death penalty was pronounced against the Governor, Kiamil Mahmud Pasha, and he was duly put to death, being publicly hanged in Bayazed Square, Stambul, in the presence of the Military Governor of Constantinopte and other high officials.—Reuter's Special.

General Zapata and his generals have been killed in battle.—Exchange message quoting a Mexico City cable.

# Saxon War Minister Flung Into River and FRESH OUTBREAKS IN Shot-Munich's Soviet Overthrown.

# RHINELAND OCCUPIED FOR 15 YEARS?

Atlantic Flight.-Mr. Hawker was only deterred from flying the Atlantic yesterday by bad weather. He is ready to start at the first favourable opportunity.

The Peace.—M. Clemenceau yesterday announced his "great joy' at the settlement of reparations and Saar question in the way the French desired. Liberté thinks the Rhineland occupation may extend for fif-

Bavarian Coup. The Soviet Government in Munich has been overthrown and all its decrees annulled. Saxon War Minister murdered.

# RAIN AND MIST STOP MR. HAWKER'S ATTEMPT

# Why His Wife Feels Sure He Will Succeed.

He Will Succeed.

It was yesterday morning that news reached the wireless station in the South of Ireland that Mr. Hawker was leaving Newfoundland, but later Reuter telegrams recorded the fall of heavy rain and the statement that the flight had been postponed to noon and then afternoon. Finally Mr. Hawker sent The Daily Mail a cable saying: "Rain. Their Butter orrespondent might." Their special correspondent might." Their special correspondent might are stated to the machine, to which the landing wheels are attached, slows the aeroplane.

The machine will therefore land without anything to break its fall. This means a slight crash under the most favourable landing conditions, and it would be impossible to attempt a landing in darkness. This is one of the principal reasons why the start mus be made at a landing in darkness. This is one of the principal reasons why the start mus be made at a landing in darkness. This is one of the principal reasons why the start mus be made at a landing in darkness. This is one of the principal reasons why the start mus be made at a landing in darkness. This is one of the principal reasons why the start mus be made at a landing in darkness. This is one of the principal reasons why the start mus be made at a landing in the start mus be made at a landing in the start mus be made at a landing in the start mus be made at a landing in the start mus be made at a landing in the start mus be made at a landing in the start mus be made at a landing in the start mus be made at a landing in the start mus be made at a landing in the start mus be made at a landing in the start mus be made at a landing in the start mus be made at a landing in the start mus be made at a landing in the start mus be made at a landing in the start mus be made at a landing in the start mus be made at a landing in the start mus be made at a landing in the start landing in the start landing in the landing in the start landing in the landing in

# GOOD WIND, BAD WEATHER.

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The Air Ministry at 4.30 p.m. yesterday stated: Wind conditions are favourable for a rapid passage, but the weather is very unsatisfactory, and a forced landing on the sea would be attended with considerable risk.

In a statement dealing with wind and weather difficulties in the Atlantic they point out that success will depend in a great measure on the choice of a moment when weather conditions are favourable, and that although forceasts are favourable, and that although forceasts are made with the greatest care they cannot be accepted as being infallible. In their choice pilots must rely almost entirely on weather forceasts.

Estimates of the time required for the flight between Newfoundland and Ireland, a distance of 1,535 statute miles, during (a) straining the force of 1,535 statute miles, during (a) straining the const, unitary or the months of April, May and the competiors.

The following table shows the time required for a machine with an air speed of 100 m.p.h. flying on the direct route in April:—

flying on the direct route	e in April:	
	West to	East to
	East.	West.
Ordinary conditions	21h.	36h.
Most unfavourable	23h	474h.
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# "MY HUSBAND WILL WIN."

# Mrs. Hawker Tells of Her Own Flying Feats.

"I am as certain as one can be that my husband will come through successfully," said Mrs. Hawker to The Daily Mirror yesterday at her charming home near Surbiton.

"He always thinks things out so carefully that what appear to be extraordinary achievements to others are really the result of careful planning.

"He was the first man to 'roll' in England,

# THE ATLANTIC MEN.

The following is the list of entries for the

Pilot.	Machine, Miles	P.H.
Captain Payze	Whitehead	115
Mr. Hawker	Sopwith	100
Mr. Pickles	Fairey	120
Major Wood	Short	95
Mr. Raynham	Martinsyde	100
	Handley-Page,	105
	Boulter-Paul.	-
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machine, a seaplane, was reported some time ago to have been damaged.

and the first to perform a nose-dive. But he knew exactly what he aimed at before attempting either of these feats.

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## BOLSHEVISTS MILES 37 FROM SEVASTOPOL,

# Simferopol Taken'-'Red' Offensive for the Spring.

The Bolshevist communiqué for April II reports the capture of Simferopol (thirty-seven miles north-east of Sevastopol) and Eupatoria (thirty-sight miles west-north-west of Simferopol). Considerable military booty fell into the hands of the Red Army.—Wireless Press.

A Washington telegram states that official Scandinavian dispatches report that Bolshevist preparations for a spring offensive are progressing.

Helsingfors advices say that Russian munition factories are extraordinarily busy, and workmen refusing to work are threatened with loss of food and some have been executed—Exchange.

The Bolshevists are calling to the colours all workmen and peasants born in the years 1886 to 1890 inclusive.—Wireless Press.

# **ALLIED TROOPS FORESTALL** A RED ATTACK.

One-Third of Foe Garrison Killed. Wounded and Taken Prisoners.

# BRITISH OFFICIAL.

It was learnt that the two small attacks carried out by the enemy on our posts south of Segeja, on April 7, were preliminary reconnaissances to a larger operation.

The main operation was to be the capture of the post by the Bolshevist garrison of Urosozero (twenty miles south of Segeja), the strength of which was about 250.

To forestall these operations General Maymard rapidly moved up a small force of about 150, consisting chiefly of Russians and Slavo-British Legion, with a small proportion of Allied troops, and attacked Urosozero
The attack was completely successful, and the enemy's losses included flirk killed, twenty-five unwounded and ten wounded prisoners.

In addition we captured two 3in guns, one machine guns 100 pairs skis, fourteen cases of machine guns 100 pairs skis, fourteen cases of machine guns 100 pairs skis, fourteen cases of ion, including 7,000 shells.

# EGYPT.

Street Fighting in Cairo and Alexandria.

# MOB ATTACKS TROOPS.

Latest news from Egypt records a recrudescence on Saturday of the rioting which occurred earlier in the week at Cairo. The situation is rendered the more serious by the contagion having spread to Alexandria.

At both places anti-Armenian disturbances have led to collisions with the troops and the loss of many lives.

Carro, Sunday.

The following communique was issued to-

day:

"There was further rioting in Cairo yester-day by a mob armed with knives and hatchets. The attacks were chiefly directed against

Armenians.

"The police reported that thirty-eight were killed and 100 wounded during the forty-eight hours ending at noon yesterday, the killed including seven Armenians and four Greeks.

"The wounded also include a proportion of Armenians and Greeks. Military measures have been enforced. The night passed off quietly.

"There was a disturbance at Alexandria yesterday, a collision occurring in the morning between troops and rioters in the Karmus quarter, in which three were killed and six wounded seriously.
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in which three were killed and six wounded seriously.

"An anti-Armenian disturbance took place in the afternoon. The mob persistently attacked the troops, who were obliged to fire, killing seventeen, including a number of others.

"The public have been warned to be in their houses by eight in the evening. The town was quiet at night time." Reuter.

In Thursday's messages Reuter records that five British soldiers were murdered, including two unarmed Indians.

The troops, owing to the behaviour of the mob, were compelled to fire. The Kasr el Ain Hospital reported having received twenty-two killed and forty-seven wounded civilians.

# SOVIET GOVERNMENT IN MUNICH OVERTHROWN.

General Merker Ordered to Advance Into Brunswick.

A Weimar telegram of to-day's date says the Soviet Government of Munich has been overthrown by the garrison. The Bavarian Government has sent Herr Vogel, the deputy for Fuerth, to Munich, entrusted with the entire civil and military authorities of the Soviet Government have been annulled.—Reuter.

Brunswick.—General Merker has been ordered to advance into Brunswick to restore and make safe the communications.—Reuter.

BELLIN, Sunday.

The general strike in Germany is developing more favourably.

In the Ruhr region the number of men willing to work has increased. The number of strikers is more than 169,009, but serious negotiations regarding the resumption of work are proceeding.

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In Essen the negotiations led to a resumption of the tramway services.

In Danzig the strike became general. A state of siege was declared.

of siege was declared.

Owing to negotiations with the State Commissary, August Winnig, the general strike ceased yesterday morning, whereupon the state of siege was raised.—Wireless Press.

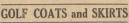
# TRAGIC FATE OF SAXON WAR MINISTER.

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A Dresden telegram says that the Saxon Minister for War, Herr Neuring, was killed on Saturday morning by discontented soldiers.—

Saturday morning by discontented sources.
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# THE FLIGHT.

A STRANGE Easter week!—the peace still deferred and in doubt; new wars actual or probable; uncertainty everywhere, national, financial, industrial, social,

This on the surface of shell-torn Mother Earth. And above, in the air, also as a possibility, the Atlantic flight. . .

We may take it as one more illustration of a discrepancy between our power of inventing mechanically, and our ability to settle morally. For we are supposing, with the best hopes, that the Atlantic flight will

And we are not supposing, pessimistically, that, at the same moment, Europe may pass into further confusion: we suggest it only as a prospect to be guarded against, if possible. And here is the discrepancy, the dissociation: we cannot guard against confusion by flying the Atlantic. The two spheres don't penetrate.

For many years they have conflicted, in

As we have travelled faster, we have grown more uneasy and unsettled. The temptation to bustle involves the disposition to change. Yes, perhaps after all the cross-Atlantic aeroplane and the revolutionary movements everywhere following the steelage and high-explosive war do indeed touch and mix and influence one another! Per-haps the faster we go and the higher we fly physically, the more we shall fight and the lower we shall creep morally. Perhaps . . . but we must not depress our aeroplane hopes by these previsions.

It is enough to say that "elevation" moral and physical do not go together, though the fact of physical speed influences the moral

It is, anyhow, too late to change. The machines cannot be shut up in glass cases as they were in "Erewhon." Some of Some of us regret it. Some of us suppose that with Sedan Chairs about again you would have no strikes—that there would be no Bolshevists travelling in stage coaches.

# BY-ELECTIONS.

WE like to "wait and see" what all the politicians and publicists are going to say about a by-election.

The week-end rewarded our patience by resounding with explanations of Hull—the usual explanations.

And what are they?

Every man who didn't get in at the election or hasn't yet got his grievance settled; every man who hopes; every man angry cries: "This is retribution! This proves I was right!"

The Secretary of the Society for the Propagation of Gobbling amongst the Slow-eaters thinks—amongst others—that Hull means the Government are being punished because they broke their pledge to him.

Let him think it. It does him good. The world wants happiness. But suppose the Government—any Government—had won?

Then the Secretary for the Suppression of Cannibalism—or any Secretary—would have said: "It means nothing! It proves nothing! My people didn't vote."

So with most by-elections.

# EVENTAIL.

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inde floating from that fan.
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—EDITH SITWELL.

# HOW GREAT BUDGETS ARE PREPARED.

# CHANCELLORS' PERSONALITIES IN "COMPOSITE" STRUCTURES.

BY OUR PARLIAMENTARY CORRESPONDENT.

If you pay a visit to the House of Commons
during the first three months of the session you will probably scan the Treasury
Bench in vain for the Chancellor of the Ex-

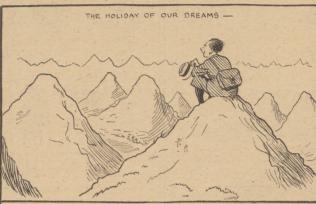
equer.
It is not that he is an idle absentee. could peep into his room at the Treasury you would find him there. For morning, afternoon and evening, with little or no break for meals, the custodian of the National Purse is engrossed in the almost overwhelming problem of finding "ways and means" of meeting our financial obligations.

But the preparation of a Budget is not a task that can be squeezed into the last three months of a financial year. It is a long and laborious business. Every year in these times of ever-increasing imposts new fields of revenue have to be explored, detailed reports

rial for introducing a little delicate wit in his Budget speech and thus providing a few light touches to a long and bewildering figure story. I have said that all forms of revenue are

I have said that all forms of revenue are closely watched and investigations as to their taxability made by our authorities. But in-quiries are not restricted to the British Isles. When experiments are made in foreign quiries are not restricted to the British Isles. When experiments are made in foreign countries reports are ordered by the British Treasury. It is an open secret that our Chancellor closely studied the incidence of the luxury tax in France last year. It is also common property that Mr. Austen Chamberlain has his monocled eye on the bachelor tax repossals in Italy.

# THIS WEEK'S "OUIET HOLIDAY" FOR EASTER.



BUT, OF COURSE, IT WOULD REALLY BE LIKE THIS !



Doctors tell us quiet is especially needed this year. Yes—but how to get it? The same idea always comes to everybody, and the result is that everybody is everywhere.—(By W. K. Haselden.)

prepared upon them by committees of experts, constant consultations held with leaders of industry and commerce and such famous banking experts as Lord Cunliffe, Sir Edward Holden and Sir Robert Kindersley called in for advice as to the soundness of the wasjected levies.

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For no Chancellor dare take a leap in the dark. A Budget is a matter of life and death to commerce, and since the last thing, of course, he wants to do is to "kill the goose that lays the golden eggs," infinite care has to be taken to see that in taxing particular industries he does not tax them out of exist-

And while month after month the Treasury And while month after month the Treasury microscope is brought to bear on taxable commodities, hundreds of suggestions from amateur budgeteers are pouring into the post-bags at Whitehall.

"Possibles" and "impossibles" are sorted out, and the former carefully considered from the point of view of their practicability and in the light of the needs of industry.

Of course, there is a layer preparation of the

Of course, there is a large percentage of the weird and comic in the correspondence, incidentally providing the Chancellor with mate-

short, for it is an accepted principle that the Chancellor should have his own way in matters of detail.

In matters of high policy, of course, his Budget reflects the principles of the party which brought him into office. For example, a Free Trade Cabinet would not allow a Chancellor to introduce a Tariff Reform Budget, and conversely a Tariff Reform Cabinet could scarcely be expected to lose the opportunity of effecting such a change in our fiscal system as would harmonise more or less with the principle it espouses outside the Council Chamber.

Chamber.

There are many Budgets which bear the impress of the personality of the Chancellor. Let me give three concrete cases. The famous 1999-10 Budget was remarkable for Mr. Lloyd Georgo's land taxes. The 1898 Budget remains notable for Sir William Harcourt's death\_duties, Mr. Asquith's second Budget is remembered as his first attempt to differentiate between eavered and uncertain income. tiate between earned and unearned income.

The coming Budget may go down the ages as
the Chamberlain Budget which taxed

# "TAX EVERYBODY!"

HOW TO BROADEN THE BASIS OF REVENUE IN THE COMING YEARS.

## INCOME TAX.

WHY not income tax for everybody-everybody who earns anything?

Even a penny is something. The boy with a pound a week could sign over a penny stamp once a week.

That would help to "broaden the basis" as desired.

THOSE WHO HAVE NOT SUFFERED.

IF the Chancellor of the Exchequer wants a fresh source of revenue let him tax those who have not suffered by this war.

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There are thousands of families where the sons have been too young to serve, and thousands of others who have actually benefited by the war.

Why should these quietly reap the harvest of the millions who have died in agony that they might have all widows sacrifice their only sons while other families remain intact and untouched?

Gratitude to their preservers is not to be expected from these people, who would dance over the graves of the young and chivalrous with a ghastly complacency; but they should be compelled to remember in some way that the greatest war in history has been lought and won, though not by them.

Would that the ghosts of the gallant dead, "ten thousand times ten thousand," could rise up and confront them ard give them pause in their callous sellishness. Fears are anathema to them—other people's tears, so long as they have each either be a census taken of the war-free and let them be taxed according to the number of their sons unscathed and their other benefits. The Government was ready enough to register and rope in our boys for the slaughter; let them lay hands financially upon the boys younger yet, lest they forget the debt that they owe to their dead brothers, trained to chivalry and honour, who answered the call.

A DEAD BOY'S MEM.

## A SCHOOLBOY'S VIEW

COMPULSORY long engagements

Horrors!

Horrors! I know nothing more likely to annoy the families on both sides. When my sisters were engaged it was awfulthe "spooning" and waste of time. I suggest no engagements at all. SCHOOLEOY GOOSEMERRY,

# CONCRETE HOUSES.

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WILL you permit me to say how entirely I am with Mr. T. T. Clark in his recent letter, when he says that to dump down in some of our beautiful districts ugly, inappropriate and antipathetic houses, would be sacrilege. But we need houses, and need them quickly, and since it appears improbable that bricks and labour will be plentiful in the near future, why not give the concrete house a chance?

I know that concrete is not usually regarded by the artistically minded as especially beautiful, but that is due to want of knowledge.

I myself have seen concrete surfaces rich in colour and texture being those of the "aggregate" which is exposed by very simple means, and which could be chosen from local material with a view to As to the design of the house, its beauty is only limited by the ability of the designer; and there is, therefore, no reason why a concrete house should not be as beautiful and as suitable to the locality as a house constructed of brick or stone or, indeed, any other material.

Aingerroad, Hampstead. H. S. RUGGLES.

# SHORTER LETTERS.

Welcoming Spring.—Let us enjoy the spring by all means. But let us avoid public ceremonial. Anything of the sort would resolve itself into "mafficking." And of that we have had quite enough.—M.L.E.

enough.—M.L.E.

The Plague and the Doctors.—The doctors are the same now as they were in the days of Molière—they have a few recipes for every malady. They cannot prevent any malady. Why, they cannot even tiel us how to keep from the continual colds and catarrh that oppress us throughout the whiter in this trying elimate of ours.—C.F.

ours.—C.P.

His Simple Duty.—Why so much argument? The duty of the Chancellor is quite clear, "Tax anybody and anything so long as I do not have to pay." That is the creed of most tax-payers.—ONE OF THE VICTIMS.

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The Bachelor Tax.—I for one will pay a tax willingly for the privilege of remaining free, and I'm not a "woman-hater," but for the privilege of remaining free, and I'm not a "woman-hater," but for the private of the private o

# A THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

Men have at last-perceived that the only permanent thing in the world is the right, and that a wrong settlement is bound to be a temporary settlement—for the very best reason of all—that it ought to be a temporary settlement, and the spirits of men will rebel against it, those spirits of men will rebel against it, those spirits of men which are now in the saddle.—President Wilson.

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# GERMANY TURNS ON THE "ZEPP"

# HUN NAVAL CRITIC DESCRIBES ITS FAILURE.

## BY ARTHUR WILLIS.

The author quotes from a recent pamphlet of Captain Persius, the German writer, who describes the Zeppelin as a gross failure.

AS long as memory lasts there are few

A S long as memory lasts there are few of us in London or in Paris who will hear the word "Gotha" without a thrill.

The Zepp, on the other hand, will be remembered as something almost ludicrous—a clumsy monster descending in a ball of fire at Coffley or drifting about helplessly over the Channel or Mediterranean.

What caused the failure of this war weapon which were the bring Eveland to he knees?

What caused the failure of this war weapon which was to bring England to her knees?

The most outspoken of German naval critics, Captain Persius, has just told of the Zeppelin fiasco in a pamphlet recently published in Germany, and he gives some interesting items of secret Zeppelin history.

"We used to hear a great deal of the wonderful results that the Zeppelin campaign was to bring us," says Persius, "but fowards the end of the war, as one airship after another was lost, and the attacks on England were abandoned, criticisms of their practicability began to be heard.

"The Pan-Germans tried to make us believe that the cessation of Zeppelin activities was due to reasons of humanity. This was all nonsense; of course.

all nonsense; of course.

## THE FATE OF L 19

"Even the official records of airship losses were high—according to my information, derived from unimpeacable authorities, twenty-six airships were burnt up to the summer of 1916 alone, half of this number in their sheds, not by any effort on the enemy's part. A similar number were lost up to the same period by their being driven away owing to their meters having broken down.

period by their being driven away owing to their motors having broken down.
Captain Persius gives several instances of airship losses from these causes—notably that of the L19 in February, 1916. He quotes the letter, written by the commander of this Zeppelin, which was found in a bottle washed ashore: "With fifteen men on the L19, drifting out at sea, the gasbag still afloat. Our motors broke down three times."
What happened to the "Zepps" when they returned, like winged pigeons, from their attacks on England?
Captain Persius tells us of the first aid treatment they had to receive. "When our

Captain Persits tells us of the first and treatment they had to receive. "When our airships were brought back with the greatest difficulty from their exploits against England they were often obliged to lie useless at Tondern, Northoliz and other places, because their motors had either to be entirely replaced or, at any rate, their most important parts re-

Persius is the first German we have met who openly acknowledges that London was not a fortified city when first attacked by air-

# WHAT THE MOTOR MAKERS SAY.

"It is well known that when the question was raised at General Headquarters as to was raised at General Headquarters as to whether the airship weapon should be used in an unrestricted form, i.e., against unfortified cities like London—for London was really quite unfortified—many experts, like Herr von Lyncker, raised their voices in warning."

"Von Lyncker was dismissed. His advice,

"Von Lyncker was dismissed. His advice, like that of other experts, was unheeded. Our airship exploits against England produced no results of military importance—and politically they did us a good deal of harm."

Captain Persius criticisms have not been allowed to pass unchallenged;
The Maybach Motor Co. (which, according to Persius, was responsible for these faulty motors) has published a brochure called "Zeppelins, "the Maybach Motor and Persius," in which the directors indignantly deny that the Zeppelin was a failure—giving us some wonderful statistics regarding its exploits.

ploits.

We read that the L 59, for example, flew to German East Africa and back with munitions and medicines—7,000 kilometres, with a load of fifteen tons!

Testimonials are also given—in the form we generally associate with a hair restorer rather than a Zeppelin.

Here are a few extracts: "Your 260-h.p. Merchack party rea wedges fully in all."

Here are a few extracts: 104r 200-41.p. Maybach motor ran wonderfully in all wea-ther conditions." "No praise is too high for the M.M.," etc. This somewhat partial evi-

the M.M., "etc. This somewhat partial evidence is not very convincing.

As a means of transport and for scouting purposes the German airship did well enough —but even the German people must agree with Capain Persius—as an attacking warweapon the "Zepp" was a failure!

# THE MORAL SUPPORT OF NEW SHOES.

# AN OPEN CONFESSION FROM ONE WHO BOUGHT THEM.

# By "PHILLIDA."

WHEN first I saw them I averted my gaze VV disdaining their advances. It was better I knew that we should meet as

strangers.

I determined to "cut" them on the way

Next morning I was ten minutes late at the office. That night, in order to avoid them, I travelled homewards by a circuitous

them, I travelled homewards by a circumsuroute—and spent a restless evening.

Alas' on the third day my defences were broken down; I capitulated and surrendered unconditionally to their seductive charm.

At linch time we became acquainted with a promise of future intimacy. On their soft a promise of ruture intimacy. On their soft and clinging charms I cannot dwell, nor on their undoubted elegance and durability as expounded to me by the artist who exploited

expounded to me by the artist who exploited them. I knew that they must be mine. In a moment of weakness my thoughts turned to my book of War Savings Certificates. The vision, however, of my long suffering dentist rose before me, and my conscience and I had a nasty ten-minutes. I renounced them.

On pay day I took a taxi, fearful lest other feet should claim them.—They now belong to me in all their glory of cut and finish, comfort and—"line" and cunningly-devised

to them, and try not to disgrace them. They positively hustle me past the modest restaurant and pause contemptuously on the threshold of a third-class compartment. I, blush-

ingly, board a first.

They "jazz" me past barrel-organs and guide my footsteps towards jazz teas. Should I have other plans for a spring afternoon connected with a country walk, they stiffen

Never before have-I realised the feeling of conscious superiority that a pair of new shoes

gives.

There was a time when my ideas of perfect happiness were centred round a chinchilla coat. Later, had anyone asked me my chief ambition I should unhesitatingly have replied, "To have twelve of everything all at once." Now, when my Fairy Godmother approaches me I shall demand "a pair of new es every day.

shoes every day."

My new shoes make me feel good. They act as a stimulant. They alter my mode of life; my conversation.

When wearing them I am conscious of saying witty, brilliant, things. It's not I, it is my

I no longer shuffle, but adopt a regal, "Tango" walk, and find myself striking graceful easy attitudes.

graceful easy attitudes.

I dart an eagle eye at the footwear of unuspecting people, and so judge them. There is more character to be found in a pair of those than in a head full of bumps or an eggshaped face

laces.

I find myself treading on air—and my daily

The amount of moral courage afforded by those expenses doubled. I do my best to live up I shoes would have been cheap at any price.



A GERMAN "ARCHIE."—A German anti-aircraft gun near Colorne. The children like to pretend they are firing it.—(Official photograph.)

# NOVEL REFORM—WANTED, HANDIER BOOKS

# A PLEA FOR SMALLER VOLUMES IN PAPER BINDINGS.

# By CHARLES P. SISLEY.

FORTNIGHT spent on my back in hospital has convinced me that the average British-made book is an unwieldy, unyielding, uncomfortable thing to read in

It is nearly as awkward to handle anywhere else; it does not open out and keep open with ease, as a good book should.

why is to:
. We are first-rate printers—probably the third best in the world—but as a rule when we come to the production and binding of a new volume we spoil everything by thickness

and clumsiness.

A publisher who was making a valiant effort to produce new books of handy and readable size and shape told me he was obliged to abandon the idea in very quick time. It was killed by the average novel

His books, offered in suitable format, such as discriminating lovers of "belles lettres" look for, were ruthlessly turned down by

ithrarians.

"We couldn't send out things like those to our clients," he was told. "What they want are volumes that turn the seale at about a pound avoirdupois and are quite two inches thick. Your covers, too, though perhaps tasteful, are useless:

mania for binding the commonest, most worthless productions in cloth. I have seen some horrible examples lately sent out for the use of the troops.

Surely the main reason for a cloth cover is

Surely the main reason for a cloth cover is to preserve what it encloses, but the mere-tricious trash vilely printed on the coarsest repulped paper could never, by any stretch of imagination, be worth a better fate than the rubbish heap, and that at the earliest possible

I never could understand why the majority of new books published do not appear in paper

bindings.

The French, the Germans, the Spanish and bindings.

The French, the Germans, the Spanish and the Italians never dream of launching new untried works in elaborately decorated or gilded heavy cloth covers, nor do they seek to give undue bulk to such volumes.

And they are wise, Italiak,

It is quita time enough for special bindings.

It is quite time enough for special bindings when a work has become an established favourite—if not a possible "classic."

A publisher once told me that at least half

the outlay on producing a new novel was in

the cloth cover.

Is it needed? Without it new books should

Is it needed? Without it new books should reach the public at half their present price. Besides being cheaper, they would be more pleasant to handle and read.

Then that comparatively rare thing—the book that one feels could be read again with pleasure, that one would like to live with as a comparating one as all the house it who trans-

pound avoidupois and are quite two inches thick. Your covers, too, though perhaps tasteful, are useless.

So my friend had to fall into the rut, and now turns out his new books "by the pound," as everyone else has to do.

There seems also to be an uncontrollable.

# REAL HOLIDAY GOLF THIS EASTER.

# BACK TO THE GOOD OLD DAYS OF PEACE AND PLENTY.

# By LEIGH D. BROWNLEE.

The end of this week will see thousands of keen golfers back on the links. Mr. Brownlee describes what one of them intends to do?

DURING the next few days thousands of 1 stalwart souls will be delving in drawer and cupboard for garments of holiday hue and pattern, what time they polish putter, leek and mashie.

Of this band Smith trusts to be a humble

member, for at Eastertide he would a-golfing

Brown found him club-cleaning last night. He had just reached the third layer of pre-

He had just reached the third layer of pre-war, per-war and post-war rust.

"Golf?" Brown queried frowningly,
"Why not?" Smith parried,
"Not for yours!" Brown retorted firmly,
"The last time—spring of 1918—I carried
golf clubs through London streets I knew myself to be the most despicable scoundrel on

earth.
"Five fierce females told me I ought to be "Five fierce females told me I ought to be ashamed of myself, seven old gentlemen spoke of me in terms which were undoubtedly actionable, while in the Tube a white-bearded, elderly buffer with difficulty restrained himself from striking me.
"In the Tube lift I was so badly hustled that when I got out I tumbled straight into a taxi and drove back to my hotel in a state of nervous prostration."

When I mention that Brown's experience took place on a rare leave during four years of fighting in five theatres of war, the story is not without a certain piquancy.

"But that's all dead and buried now," ob-

jected Smith. "Everyone's playing—"
"I have been 'demobbed' just three months," interrupted Brown grimly, "and so far I've not seen a single soul carrying a set of golf clubs in London streets or vehicles. "I'll swear that if I were to lug my sticks

"I'll swear that if I were to lug my sticks about the West End to-morrow some busy-body would ask me why I wasn't reconstructing trade or building up industry or staying in the Army to release a better man.
"No—somewhere about 1925, when this passion for righteousness in others has died down a bit, I'll think about golf again. Till then I'll keep a grip on myself and stick to halma."

haima."

Brown notwithstanding, Smith means to risk it. If necessary, he will go away in a morning coat and silk hat, his golfing garments in a trunk of archidiaconal solemnity, his clubs in a packing-case labelled "Travel ler's samples."

And if money can command it he will have a reserved, double-locked, blind-shrouded compartment, and somewhere between Waterloo and Sloshton-on-the-Sand a highly-respectable City gentleman will change into one of those dastardly divot-diggers who came near causing us to lose the war.

# TAKING IT EASILY.

TAKING IT EASILY.
Wind, weather and circumstances permitting, Smith will have four days' restrained golf. "Restrained" is deliberate. A single in the morning, an easy-going four-some in the atternoon—that is his ambition.

No tearing, three-round, four-round days for Smith. Much of that pre-war suppleness is no longer his. He also now is among the "slow-henders."

"slow-benders."
He will walk leisurely and play leisurely. For him no frantic dash from tee to green. If strenuous souls drive into him, so be it; with the inextinguishable bonhomic of a man enjoying his first golfing holiday since 1914 Smith will let them through.

Nor shall the iron shot of the irresponsible flapper, as it whizzes o'er the green on which he seeks to putt, put a damper on his Eastertide gaiety.

tide gaiety.

Smith's is to be holiday golf—the sort of stuff where style and strokes don't count and lunch looms large when the "turn" is reached. Grip, stance an 'cwing, for once, are off the map.

No competitions for Smith. Medal play seems worse than maroons; rather than compete against bogey he would yield up his ration book, while the sight of a score card would produce symptoms of shell-shock.

Smith is out to hit a small white sphere with a lump of wood or iron. Occasionally he will hit it. Occasionally he will create that state of affairs most abhorrent to nature.

Incidentally, he is going to imbibe uncontrolled ozone, loosen his C 3 muscles, and fool himself into believing that we are back in the good old days of peace and plenty. No competitions for Smith. Medal play

# COMING TO LONDON

# THEY LIKE THEIR BATHE.



Mme. Karsavina, who is returning to London about the end of this month, will dance at the Alhambra during the Russian ballet season there. It promises to be one of the brilliant events of the coming London season.



ARMY BOXING CUP.—Major-General Solly Flood, C.B., D.S.O., hands the East Lanes boxing oup to Lieutenant-Colonel Gresham, who accepted it on behalf of the 7th Manclester Regiment. Colonel Gresham took the men to the front.



Austrian prisoners bathing in one of the old Roman baths at Caldina, near Verona, Italy, under guard. They must remain in captivity until peace is signed.

women's First vote. Miss Mair, president of the Edinburgh National Society for Women's Suffiger planting a hawthorn tree in Princes street Gardens to commemorate the granting of votes for women.

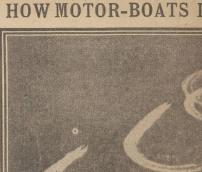


STAGE WEDDING.—M. Sacha Guitry, the actor, and Mile. Yvonne Vignible, who is better known by her stage name? Yronne Printemps, were married in Paris. Mine. Sarah Bernhardt was one of the witnesses.





VEST AND PARASOL.—A braided yest of blue Eng-lish linen with scroll design and navy blue braid. The parasol is also of blue, and, being short, is very convenient to carry. The design is a new one. The hat is of rough straw.



They must have irritated the pilots beyond



The craft was at A when she was at B when it hit t



SATIN BATHING SUIT!-Ame dresses," and this one is bla

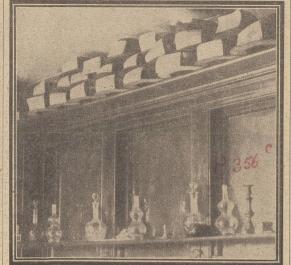


PALM SUNDAY AT WESTMINSTER.—Cardinal Bourne conducting service on the steps of the Cathedral yesterday. The churches were filled with devout congregations.

# D THE HUN BOMBS.

# HATS WITH NO CLAIMANTS





Hats that still remain. Some, unfortunately, will never be claimed.



et loose his bomb, and photographs were taken

making silk "bathing acings and cap to match. get it wet!

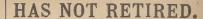


A SPORTS SUIT.—What an American firm calls an "up-to-the-minute" suit. It is of green and white silk and is worn with a black velvet coat bound with braid. The silk hat is interroven with ribbon and heavy floss,



Captain Clough receiving his hat.

When a number of Selby men joined up they left their civilian hats at a local hotel on condition that they could be reclaimed after the war. They were all carefully labelled and put, in storage.





Admiral Sir David Beatty, who was stated by a Sunday paper to have retired. This is not the case. He is at the moment unemployed, and is therefore on half-pay, according to regulations. A story will be found on page 2.



SCOTTISH CHILDREN WITH IRISH NAMES. — Mr. McPherson, the Irish Secretary, with his little girl, who bear the Celto Inme Fiona. The baby daughter, just born, has been christened Patricia in honour of her having been born in Ireland.



MASCOT KICKS OFF.—Little Maisie, the mascot of the Ladies' Sterling F.C., sets the ball rolling in the match against the Handley-Page Aircraft girls, at Ilford on Saturday. She required some assistance

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Mlle. Lydia Kydsht is to dance during the dussian Ballet's Al-hambra season.

# THE PREMIER'S SPEECH.

What Is the "Anti-Dora Party "?-The Man Who Moulds Budgets.

The Bug Thins politically this week is, of course, Mr. Lloyd George's statement in the House before it adjourns for Easter. Everybody is agog with curiosity to hear the line which the Prime-Minister will take. I am told that there has been a good deal of "give-and-take" about the recent negotiations in Paris. Mr. Lloyd George has ever struggled strenuously for British interests.

Several of Mr. Asquith's friends have predicted lately that he is likely to be the first President of the League of Nations. He would be a dignified and eloquent figure for that post. I wonder!

## Forty-Eight Hours.

The Government will, I hear, introduce this session a Bill for a compulsory forty-eighthour week and national minimum wages for

# " Auntie."

What is this I hear of an "Anti-Dora Party"? It is said that certain impatient people are not satisfied with the speed at which war legislation is being "demobbed," and have formed an association to press for the repeal of various sections of D.O.R.A.

# Haig for India?

During the week-end I heard a revival of that rumour to which I drew attention some weeks age—that Sir Douglas Haig might ere long go to India. He is said to be keen.

By accepting the findings of the Sankey Commission the miners get £7,500,000 back pay distributed to them. A nice Easter gift! The advance given them was retreasurable. The advance given them was retrospective from January 9:

Over a million pounds sterling a week is now being distributed by the Government in unemployment benefit. Commander Sir E. Nicholl proposes to put such men as are fit for it, and who are getting the benefit, to work on highway improvement.

I hear that the Countess of Kingston is re-turning to England after her American trip. She sailed from New York on the 8th.

Foreign newspaper men, with experience in Foreign newspaper men, with experience in London and Paris, say it was easier to get into our War Office and Admiralty than it is to pass through the portals of the Hotel Majestic in Paris. The place, they say, is full of detectives and officials.

Here is Mr. Stanley. Baldwin, who has much more than many people think to do with the arrangements of the Bugget. He is Financial Secretary to the Treasury; and prophets have seen in this alert, efficient,

proposes have seen in this alert, efficient, pleasant-spoken man, the terror of the heckler a future Chancellor.

# His Aunts.



Some men are remarkable for their sons or fathers.

Mr. Baldwin has Mr. Stanley Baldwin. three noted aunts. One married Sir Edward Burne-Jones, another Sir Edward Poynter, P.R.A., and the third Mr. J. Lockwood Kipling, becoming the mother of the novelist.

# TO-D

News and Views About Men, Women, and Affairs in General

The Park looked—if I may use the slang of the day—"quite pre-war." It was crowded, and I saw the Duke of Rutland, Lady Lockhart and Lady Loder among the solitary promenaders. Sir Arthur Pinero, also alone, was contemplative.

A little group under the trees consisted of Lady Joan Mulholland, Lord and Lady Duf-ferin and Lord Nigel Hamilton. Lady Swaythling, in black, was walking with the Hon. Stuart Montagu.

## Palm Sunday at St. Margaret's.

At St. Margaret's, Westminster, I saw Lieutenant-Colonel Parry, M.P., who has just returned from the Far East. A good many other members were at the morning service. Others members were at the morning service. Others included Colonel Sir Ivor Phillips, Sir William Raeburn and Admiral Neblack, U.S.N.

Yesterday's bright sun brought hundreds of Londoners to the riverside. Richmond has be-gun to wake from its out-of-season sleep, and boat-hiring was brisk. A cool wind over the water, however, made those who had left wraps at home wish they had been more sen-

## Church-Going K.C.

In the bright sunshine yesterday I caught a glimpse of Sir Ernest Moon, K.C., on his way to church. Sir Ernest is the Speaker's coun-

## Presentation to V.C.'s Mother.

Presentation to V.C.'s Mother.
When Lady Byng, at Walton-on-Naze, handed £200 in War Bonds to Mrs. Columbine, mother of the late Private Columbine, V.C., it was as the result of a public subscription in the town. Walton is tremendously proud of its heroic son, who died while holding up a horde of Germans with his single machine gun, and well it may be.

## A Courtney Wemorial.

I am told that a memorial to the late Lord Courtney of Penwith is to be erected in the garden of Chelsea Old Church—famous for its





associations with Sir Thomas More. Lord Courtney himself for many years lived in that riverside district.

A Lover of Peaces.

Lord Courtney, it will be remembered, was
the subject of much criticism at the time of
the Boer war, which he vehemently opposed.
He was essentially a peace lover, and at no
time did war make a very powerful appeal to

# Black Curtains.

In these days of laundry waywardness, articles which require no washing are rapidly gaining popularity. A friend of mine has re-curtained her house in black net. With Oriental borders and coloured tassels the effect is not as gloomy as it sounds.

Expensive Cycles.

One who sells cycles tells me that for another year at least the wheel will be high priced. In fact, there is a possibility that bicycles may become dearer owing to the increased cost of labour and the difficulty of obtaining experienced mechanics. "At present the demand for "push-bikes" is ahead

# Prevailing Prices.

As an example of the prevailing prices, a model which cost £4 10s. before the war is now retailed at £13 13s. Moreover, this season's prices show an increase of one-third on last year's figures. Last season's favourite model, which cost twelve guineas, is now sixten an universe.

What is there about theatrical management that makes all our young actresses want to go in for it? Years ago the ambition of the young actress was to play Juliet; now she wants to run a theatre. Miss Dorothy Dis, now playing the lead in "Fair and Warmer," tells me that as con, as she can get

soon as she can get she will put on a sea-son of modern drama

Meanwhile rents of Miss Dorothy Dix. then ever. Despite the pessimists, the bottom has not dropped out of the theatre theatres continue to

## At the Lyric

What a wonderful house there was to welcome "Romeo and Juliet" and Ellen Terry at the Lyric Theatre! I hear that some enthusiasts took up places outside the gallery door before six o'clock on Saturday morning. Who says enthusiasm is dead?

## In the Stalls

Mrs. Kendal had an ovation on entering the stalls. She had a long chat with Mrs. Langtry, who looked as beautiful as ever with a jewelled band across her forehead. Others I noticed were Lady Baneroft, Lady Alexander, Miss Constance Collier and Miss Marion.

The Explorer.

Mr. George Robey tells me that for his great Printers' Pension Fund concert on the 27th he has found a printer-baritone who, he believes, will make some of the professionals anxious. Can Mr. Robey now discover a comedian to rival—George Robey?

Apropos my paragraph regarding the record made by Mr. W. H. Rawlins in never missing a performance for eighteen years, Mr. J. R. Crauford puts forward a bigger claim. He writes to tell me that he has never given his understudy a chance for thirty-eight years.

Ere long we shall welcome Mr. Raymond Hitchcock to England again. When he lands in London we shall see that he has, after all,

Munitions Whisky.

The whisky which has been re-sold to the distillers by the Ministry of Munitions will not reach the thirsty consumer yet. Most of it was made last year, and under the Immature Spirits Act, 1915, it cannot be sold until it has been three years in bond.

# Of Theatrical Interest.

Miss Dora Fellowes Robinson's friends in the theatrical world turned up in full force at the Oratory on Saturday to see her married to Captain Lewis Lloyd-Goring, R. E. Nearly the whole cast of "The Eyes of Youth" could be found there, for the bride has been manager to Lady Forbes-Robertson at the St. James' Theatre.

The five little bridesmaids who attended the The nve little bridgesmans who attended his bride were charming pictures, in their white satin frocks with white veils flowing from wreaths of rossebuds and forget-me-nots. Lady Forbes-Robertson's little daughter (the image of her mother in miniature) was quite the smallest of the party, and was not much bigger than her bouquet.

# The "Pub." on the Rhine.

The "Pab." on the Rhine.

A humorous "Tommy" billeted in a village on the Rhine writes to the Cologne Post that he and his fellows call the "Gastwirtschaft" (village taxern) the Gastworks, because it supplies undrinkable fizzy beer and sour wine "that would corrode the interior of an armoured car."



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Lathom, a young artist, and the son of a bootmaker, thought it was time he started e work,
was staying at Heathersett—a quiet
age—the sort of place that invites idle
And work just then offered few

nts.

wandered into a forest, and in the June
lay down under a tree,
undenly a resolve came to him. He would
picture of the Sleeping Beauty.
the oddeat of coincidences that the Sleeptry should appear to him in person just

ere was a caravan in the wood. It had two pants. One was Miss Joan Harwood, a lady hirty-six, the other Miss Patricia Chance, a g actress of surpassing beauty, who was holi-making.

naking. happy accident makes Peter acquainted with caravaners. Peter's susceptible heart is

d. intimacy with Patricia deepens. More, she ts to be his model for the picture. the wise Miss Harwood has doubts, one morning, Peter goes to the wood—only that the caravan and its occupants have

# IN THE STARLIT GARDEN.

SHE'S gone," the boy whispered to himself with a catch of his breath.

with a catch of his breath.

He stood staring blankly at the empty pitch.

To have gone like this without a word...

Vhat did it mean? What could it mean? When the had parted from Pat and Joan last night here had been no hint of this. Yet whilst he was away from the village that morning they not the caravan had gone.

He looked round helplessly, as if searching for answer to a riddle utterly beyond his power if solving. How empty and forlorn this place comed now... like the gap suddenly left in its life.

From a bramble-bush something white flut-sred—a tiny shred of lace caught on one of its

iffe.

Tom a bramble-bush something white flutstd-a tiny shred of lace caught on one of its
rns. And he remembered how three days
the brambles had caught and ripped Pat's
it as she and Peter II. were playing hidel-seek. Pat had laughed and said she would
ecforth have to go ragged, because their one
I of cotton had contrived to fall into the
kle jar, and the village shop was always out
stock of anything one happened to want in

urry.

urry.

the silence he could hear her laugh now, vividly as though it were actually in his ears at pretty low laugh, liquid like the voice of little gurgling, tumbling stream beyond the

Intitle gurging, tunbring stream beyond me as see was caught by something that lay aming near the brambles; it was a gith hirthing the grant of the stream o

's restless mood drove him out of doors He strode aimlessly down the village feeling utterly miserable, trying to beat his mind what this inexplicable thing and always brought up as if against a wall.

want.
children were coming out of school. One
n stopped at the sight of Peter, then came
him. From his pocket he extracted a lady of the caravan—she said I was to

er almost snatched the letter. Not from it was addressed in Joan's bold, masculine

When did she give you this, Dickie?" he anded.

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j found himself wondering if that letter
had received by last night's post could have
anything to do with their abrupt deparif had struck him at the time that she

seemed worried as she read it. The whole perplexing mystery was beyond him.

It was the longest afternoon Peter had ever spent in his life. When at last he returned to the cottage drinner had been waiting him nearly half an hour. The boy could hardly make even a pretence of earling. He flung himsel modify pipe, lost in bitter thought.

An impulse made him cross the room and take up his almost finished painting. How like Pat it was!... She had been an inspiration to him. He had never painted anything that was half so good. He had caught her trick of expression, the laughter in her eves, all the witchery of her...

The pictured face smiled into his from the canvas, bringing a troop of memories to stir anew the imprisoned pain in his heart.

In Heaven's name, why had Pat done thistreated their friendship as though it was so light a thing that she could end it at will with this seeming indifference! He gave a soudlen had contained the could end it at will with the seeming indifference! He gave a soudlen had contained the could be a soudlen had contained the could end it at will with the seeming indifference He gave a soudlen had contained the could be a soudlen had contained the could end it at will with the seeming indifference He gave a soudlen had contained the could be a soudlen had co

this seeming indifference? He gave a suddenhard laugh.

"I couldn't have believed it of you, Pat."

And yet it was so, unlike Pat deliberately to hurt anyone or anything. "What was he to think? It was beyond him.

Slowly the daylight waned as he sat there with his thoughts his mind still, beating vainly against that blank wall. The soft summer twilight began to draw its curtains across the sky, and the shadows crept out of the corners of the room.

Presently Mrs. Timson brought in a lighted

Presently Mrs. Timson brought in a nignes-lamp.

"Thanks, but I shan't want it," Peter said.
"Thy just going out."

Half-unconsciously his footsteps took him to the old walled garden, where he had painted her, a place of memories bitter-sweet. Some-how, even now, he couldn't bring himself to be angry with Pat. Angry with circumstances per-haps, but, because he loved her and would always love her, he would not judge her un-heard.

I only there could be some explanation.

haps, but, because he loved her and would always love her, he would not judge her unheard.

If o made his way into the tangled wilderness within the hish enclosing wall.

The moan had not yet risen, but the deep violet of the sky was a-glitter with a myriad stars; their pale light left the sleeping garden half-revealed and half-imagined, dim silver and deep ebon shadows. Through the fragrant dusk the starry jasmine gleamed; pale moths flitted past him like woodland ghosts.

Almost instinctively he walked to the corner of the garden where the red and yellow roses ran riot, and the old cracked dragon had watched them as he painted her. That had been Pat's favourite spot.

Sath of the rose garden; on the top long flowering grasses and flunting snap-dragons stirred restlessly to every breath of wind. The arched door in the wall hung back on broken hinges. He passed through, down the three worn stone steps. Before him in the pool in its old cracked marble basin the stars were swimning. . . They were like an image of his own desire, seemingly so near that it was as if one had only to put out one's hand to grasp—and yet so far away.

And then has bey stopped dead, staring with a staring with the staring with the staring with the staring with eager cry broke from him as he ran forward: "Pat!"

# THE GOLDEN MOMENT.

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S(HE was standing there, like a white ghost in the dusk, supporting herself by the dragon. A letter lay on the flagstones at her feet. And somehow Peter knew that his name would be on that envelope—knew that she had come to post it here, where they had so often posted notes to each other, in the mouth of the dragon. And his heart seemed to give a sudden leap, a fleree, vehing throb of longing.

Her face was colourless and, as he saw, drawn as if with pain. Eagerly he ran up to her side, all his old doubts and trouble swallowed up in as if with pain. Eagerly he ran up to her side, all his old doubts and trouble swallowed up in here. I think I have hurt my andle a little—lean't stand on it," she faltered.

She was scarching his face as she spoke; her first glimpse of it in the starlight had shown her the look of pain in. Peter's eyes, his face as she had never seen it before. Her own was troubled; her eyes were like swimming stars in the dusk.

There was 's stone seat near. Very gently he had never seen it before. Her own was troubled; her eyes were like swimming stars in the dusk.

There was 's stone seat near. Very gently he had never before here on the that. I came back to night to post a letter to you, here in the dragon's mouth, because I'—she seemed to check herself—"I thought you might look here, and I knew you wouldn't carry that letter unopened," with a little tremulous smile on her face that was like the ghost of the old gay laugh.

"And then—you were going away without seeing me?" he said.

There was a little catch in her breath as she sould the first of the old gay laugh.

"Oh, Peter, you—but you don't understand.

ing fie?" he said.
There was a little catch in her breath as she spoke
"Oh, Peter, you—but you don't understand.
You don't think that we wanted to hurt you, Joan and I—that we didn't hate above every-time desired to her the said of th

By SIDNEY WARWICK.

knew, what he could not know, of barriers that rose like a wall of stone between them. But now—ah, now she knew she could not go back, run away from him again. Who shall understand the mystery of a woman's heart? Those barriers . She would forget that there were barriers. Her eyes were wide and dark, and her lips parted as if waiting . —understood at least that the star that had seemed so far away . —le had only to reach out his hand now. —Pat," he whispered—"Pat, does it mean that you—that you—.

But her eyes answered him before the words were finished.

She heard herself give a little glad cry of content that came from somewhere deep down in her, as almost fiercely his arms closed about her and drew her to him.

"Oh, my dear, my dear!"

## THE GATE OF DREAMS.

A S the boy's arms closed about her, straining As the boy's arms closed about her's straining the slender form to him with a passion of tenderness—close to his heart, as though he would never let her go now that he had found her again—it was as though time stood still for them, to hang waiting ou that one enchanted moment that all their lives after they would remember.

them, to hang waiting on that one enchanced moment that all their lives after they would renicember.

The breath of the nodding roses hung everywhere about them; a faint wind soft with summer touched their faces—a wind that seemed to whisper of the far-off sea from which it had with its mystery and silence, the scent of the roses, the plash of the cracked fountain coming faintly through the broken darkness—all seemed to weave a spell of magic about them, as if shutting them in together in a dream world.

There was a moment's breathless pause, broken only by the sleepy sounds of the night. Nothing seemed quite real. It was almost as if this were an enchanted garden in a world of make-believe, and they two stood together at the shining gate of dreams... only those does not be the shining gate of dreams... only those does not consider the shining gate of dreams... only those them were real—dreams that would come true

to them.

The boy knew that, as his eyes rested on the proud, beautiful face nestling so near his own. All his life he had been waiting for herher only—his love, whom for a little while he had lost and had found again. Through the night and the silence she had come, bringing him that most wonderful gift of all—the gift of hersel.

Something that was half a sob and helf a

"Peter!"
Something that was half a sob and half a laugh of exquisite tenderness broke across Pat's voice as she whispered his name, scarcely above her breath, as if she almost feared to the fascinating story to morrow.

break the spell. And there were swimming lights in the violet dark of her eyes, shin-ing eyes that were sud-denly a-brim ... be-cause joy and sorrow, beneath their differing faces, are twin-sisters, twin-sisters, a supreme joy, as every woman knows, can lie strangely close to tears.

to tears.

The pain she was suffering—she was hardly conscious of it now, though she could not have put her ankle to the ground. It was forgotten, or felt only subconsciously in the exquisite happiness that thrilled

though she could his may but her make to the ground. It was forgotten, or felt only subson sciously in the exquisite happiness that thrilled "It's so wonderful that you should care for me," the boy was saying.

Hor little glad laugh was like the sound of the plash of the water of the fountains falling into the pool.

"You foolish Peter—isn't it as wonderful for me that you should want me?" she asked, skirring happily in his arms.

It is a recurring stabling pain to her ankle. But she didn't care. It was only like something by which she could measure the depth of her new joy.

"Oh, I've cared for you from the first moment when I found you like Sleeping Beauty in the enchanted wood," he said, his arm tightening round her. "My princess, who came into my life straight out of a fairy story—"But you didn't waken her, so the fairy print of the straight out of a fairy story—"But you didn't waken her, so the fairy print of the straight out of a fairy story—"But you didn't waken her, so the fairy print of the straight out of a fairy story—"But you didn't waken her, so the fairy print of the straight out of a fairy story—"But you didn't waken her, so the fairy print of the straight out of a fairy story—"But you didn't waken her, so the fairy print of the straight out of a fairy story—"But you didn't waken her, so the fairy print of the straight out of a fairy story—"But you didn't waken her, so the fairy from the straight out of a fairy story—"But you didn't waken her, so the fairy from the straight out of a fairy story—"But you didn't waken her, so the fairy from the straight out of a fairy story—"But you didn't waken hers.

Her hair, wind-ruffled, brushed his face, sending a tingling thrill through him. He kissed a straight out of the sold ward title willful curl, soft like spun sik, that had blown across her cheek. It is wolfen not quite steady, where the her would and very wise with years, that had watched generations of lovers perhaps in this old garden, and had heard those other lovers' foolish talk, smiled behind h



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# BATHING FASHIONS FOR THIS SUMMER.

Frivolity and Colour To Be the Keynote.

# STRIKING DESIGNS.

French and English dressmaking firms are in consultation now as to the coming fashions for bathing.

"Frivolity and colour will be our key-note," a great designer told The Daily

Cloaks will be of plain colour outside, but inside lined with brilliant flowered, spotted and striped designs. Every bathing costume has its loak to match, as well as its cap, stockings and

shoes.

"The gowns? They are in the jumper style over frilled knickers. Some have eight little frills at the knees.

"Silk and brocade and chintz made coloursure are the materials. Accordingly you find flower patterns and checks or spots.

"The caps are quite different this year. No more of those hideous rubber bands over the forehead, or a negre knet. There are real turbans to hold in the hair, tasselled in waterproof all." And there are aimon's cans of ribbon, and

oans to hold in the hair, tasseled in waterpoor six. And there are airman's cape of ribbon, and little early Victorian scoop caps to shield the eyes from glare.

"Tam-o'-shanters with falling bobbles are in fashion. So, too, are beach tats—big, shady affairs to put on in the surf or on the shore to save delicate skins from freckles and redness.

"Tent designing is quite a new art. Beautiful colour combinations and conveniences of pegs, mirrors and seats are being worked out in Chelsea and St. John's Wood, in the artists' quarters, for rich bathers; they are miniature pavilions."

# THE STOCK MARKETS.

A Good Week-Textile Shares-Rubies Preferred to Banks.

From Our City Editor.

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This has been a good week in markets. Five per Cent. War Loan has shown strength throughout, although finally, at 95 15-16, a held-cluted also the state of the stat

lority by all issue of European new harms at part and annex at part. The London Theatre of Varieties (Palladium nd nineteen other London halls) announce ayment of all preference dividend arrears. his will make a total payment of 45½ per cent. n preference capital in a year.

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# THAMES PAGEANT.

League of Art's Tribute to the Mercantile Warine.

# MASSED BANDS AND SINGING.

A tribute to the British mercantile marine will be a pageant on the Thames.

The idea is that of the League of Arts, whose

aim is to bring a sense of beauty into the lives of workpeople.

Sir Frank Benson outlined the scheme at His

Sir Frank Benson outlined the example of Majesty's Theatre yesterday:—
A procession of shios' lifeboats decorated with the colours of shipping lines and manned by the men who have risked their lives.
Decoration of the Embankment.
Music of massed bands and singing of choirs.

chours.

The pageant will take place on July 17.

Miss Mand Royden spoke of the work which
the League had accomplished, particularly in
regard to music.

"England is essentially a musical country,"

"England is essentially a musical country," she said.

"Everyone wants to sing, even if it is only to the accompaniment of the bath taps in the mornings."

# NEWS ITEMS.

Summer time is banned in Germany.-Wire-

The Naval and Military Tournament will be neld at Olympia from June 25 to July 12.

A floating mine has been located fifty-three niles E.S.B. of Lazard.—Land's End Wireless. Wiping Out the Rats.—Within six weeks 46,713 ats have been killed in Leicestershire.

Douaumont-Fleury will not be rebuilt because f the unexploded mines which have not been nearthed

281,211 miles have been covered in forty-four years' service as a postman by John Sheppard, Lydd (Kent).

by the British Government.—Exchange quoting New York Sun.

New York Sun.

The Red Cross Income for the year ending
October 20, 1918, was £7,452,399 16s. 9d., and its
expenditure £7,243,281 3s. 3dd.

Died in Snowdrift.—The body of a missing
labourer has been found in a snowdrift on the
Lammermoor hills by Mr. John Hope, M.P.

Sergeant Calvert, V.C., had a great home-coming reception at Conisboro' on Saturday night and received £520 in gold, a watch and other

Prince at Workers' Club.—The Prince of Wales visited the Working Men's Club at Kew Gardens on Saturday and spent an hour chatting and shaking hands with the members.

Ironmaster's Fate.-The body of Mr. James

Ironmaster's Fate.—The body of Mr. James Thomson, a well-known iron merchant, of Arbroath, was found floating in the sea on Saturday on the east coast of Scotland.

Deserted Babies.—A baby boy, age about twelve weeks, has been found in a pew in the French Church, Leicester-square; and another, age about eighteen months, has been found in the waiting-room at Liverpool-street Station.

The waiting from a Liverpool-street Station.

Founded National Guards, — Lieutenant-Colonel E. J. Newitt, who died at Thorpe Bay, on Saturday, aged seventy-seven, was one of the oldest Volunteers, having joined the Romford Corps in 1899, and soon after the outbreak of war he formed the First Battalion of the National Guards.

# WIRELESS OPERATORS' ULTIMATUM.

A dispute has arisen between the Association of Wireless Telegraphists and the Shipping Federation respecting the £3 a month war risk? bonus granted by the Shipping Controller.

The association have decided that unless the more properties of the control of the

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# CALLANDER BEATS RIVERSHORE AND WINS THE NEWBURY CUP.

# RIVERSHORE'S FAILURE IN NEWBURY CUP.

Callander Wins a Great Race for Lord Durham.

# CITY AND SUBURBAN.

Galloper Light Favourite for Epsom Race Nottingham Meeting To-day.

Among the many examples of the "glori-Among the many examples of the giorious uncertainty" of the game, Rivershore's failure to win the Spring Cup at Newbury on Saturday stood out as the most glaring illustration. The Lincoln runner-up had won it everywhere except on the post, and then Lord Durham's Callander got up to win a fine race by a head, with Sir Berkeley

win a fine race by a head, with Sir Berkeley third another couple of lengths away. Thermogene and Quadrille turned up unexpectedly to swell the field, but their presence had no effect on the market, and only the steady demand for Callander kept Rivershore around the even money mark. It was no scret that the Stanley House people expected Callander to beat the favorite, and the fact that he did not it more than ever apparent that each of the stander of t

# GALLOPER LIGHT AND THE "CITY."

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The mogene's display did not enhance his prospects for the City and Suburban, and none of the others are engaged in the Epsom race. Something like a reliable market will be established on that handicap this afternoon, and we can expect Galloper Light to figure a good favourite. Hulme has already been engaged to ride Mr. A. de Rothschild's colt, and although three-year-olds do not shine in the "City" as a rule it must be remembered that Galloper Light would hardly figure in handicaps had not his nominations for the classic races become void owing to the death of Mr. L. de Rothschild.

King John will also figure prominently in the betting, and so, too, will Polyscope. There seems to be a doubt, by the way, whether the first-named will be quite at his best for Epson, and should he fait there I am tool that the "Jublice" will probably afford ample compensation.

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Apart from the Cup, the outstanding feature at Newbury was the continued success of the Farquharson-Whalley combination, who took both two-year-old races. Jovial Jane colt upset a good favourite in Khaki in the Selling Plate, but Blackwate's was always a hot favourite in the Manton Stakes. In the latter race Persse saddled a nice colt in King Harry,

# KROO BOY UNLUCKY.

Racers of Kroo Boy were very unlucky in the Thatcham Handicap. His jockey left him too much to do in the last furlong, and although he was fast catching Ivanhoe at the finish he falled to reach Mr. J. White's hundler by three-quarters of a length. And as Tangiers bowled over the not surprising that the bookmakers went away very cheerful. Only two of five oddson favourities had been successful, and only four had scored in two days.

Nottingham provides the only racing this week, but in spite of quite a liberal programme some of the events have received miserable entries. In the chief handicap to-day there are called the control of the control o

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as follow:

2. 0.—CURRIE:
3.50.—ROI HERO.
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5. 0.—BOUNTY MOYA.
BOUBLE EVENT FOR TO-DAY.
\*ROI HERO and DOUBLE CHANCE.
BOUVERIE.

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# TO-DAY'S FORM HORSES.

2. 0.—ALL CLEAR. 2.30.—TOWYN. 3. 0.—SUNNY MOYA.\* 3. 0.—SUNNY MOYA.\* 4.30.—NOI HERO. 4.30.—AMENI. THE WHITE FRIAR.

NEWBURY RACING RETURNS.

ECLINTON WINNERS. 2.0.—Queri (4-1). 2.30.—Wavy Stripe (1-4). 3.10.— The Turk II. (6-1). 3.45.—King Carnival (1-3). 4.15.— Partition (1-2).

# PUBLIC SCHOOLS RUGBY.

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There was a dramatic finish to the Public Schools match, at Richmond on Saturday when the South beat North by 13 points to 11. The boys of the North gained the lead a quarter of an hour from the end, and retained it until the last minute. They be the try a good the point of St. Pauli, and I try, but the point of St. Pauli, and I try, but try, and Conte, of St. Pauli, a magnificent goal from the touch line, the South won literally on the post.

Hamiltonia P. W. Adams had converted, while Martin, of St. Bees, Morel, of the Lyes, and Eayment, of Cranleigh, had crossed the South line.

# NEWBERRY v. SHEVLIN.

International Welter Weight Bout at the Ring This Afternoon.

# BASHAM TO MEET RATNER.

Considerable interest attaches to to-day's boxing programme. International flavour is not lacking. At the Ring in the afternoon theremost heremost between will be a twenty rounds bout, under championship conditions, between Eddie Shevlin, of the United States Navy, and Fred Newberry, of Limehouse.

Limehouse.

Newberry is a welter-weight of more than average ability, and any amount of grit. He is





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Newberry.

Shevlin.

probably the best man in his class in the country at the present moment, always, of course, excepting Johnny Basham, the welter chamber of the present moment, always, of course, excepting Johnny Basham, is incontestably a good man. Somewhat slow to find his form, perhaps, he stays remarkably well. He may, to an extent, lack punishing power, but he can take hard knocks as well as any man in the business.

Both boxers have trained for the match, and will take the ring in a condition to do themselves justice, so that it will examprising if an intended to the state of the state o

# THE WORLD OF SPORT.

Saturday's Billiards.—The closing scores on Saturday ere: Inman 8,012, Stevenson 6,755.

Irish Players Union have been allotted May 10 as a engit date, but the permission of the I.F.A. is not yet

Alf Craig Secures a Knock-out.—At the Ring on Satury Alf Craig knocked out Sergeant Braddock in the

B.C.C. Championship.—W. G. Aston received a walk-over the B.C.C. championship on Saturday, Lieutenant

oneen being absent.

Famous Golfers at Luton.—Harry Vardon, J. H. Taylor
Ray and J. B. Batley will play at Luton on Wednesda;
Easter week in aid of St. Dunstan's Hospital.

Open Golf Championship.—The efforts to induce the clubs controlling the open golf championship to revoke their decision against holding that event this year have proved unsuccessful.

# TO-DAY'S BIG LAWN TENNIS AT QUEEN'S CLUB.

P. M. Davson and G. L. Patterson in Singles Final.

# PROBABLE CHAMPIONS.

The covered courts lawn tennis championships at Queen's Club have reached their closing stages. Mrs. Lambert Cham-bers has already acquired the right to play Miss E. D. Holman for the ladies' title, and to-day in the final of the men's singles G. L. Patterson and P. M. Davson will meet and the winner will oppose M. J. G.

meet and the winner will oppose M. J. G. Ritchie in the challenge match. The men's singles have not been without their surprises. In the bottom half the progress of Patterson had no serious obstacle until the Australian met A. E. Beamish on Saturday, but in the other half, R. W. Heath, S. N. Doust and W. M. Washburn were in turn halled as potential finalists.

All, however, have been beaten, and Davson furnished the latest upset of form on Saturday when he beat Washburn by 3 sets to 1. The American had caught Doust on an off day, but was nevertheless fully expected to beat Davson. Once again, however, it was a case of experience and generalship beating versatility, and while Davson may not to-day withstand the youth and undoubted ability of Patterson, coupling with the harder hitting of the Australians of the championship.

AUSTRALIANS FOR THE DOUBLES.

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The mixed doubles have been hung up a little by the illness of A. B. Jones, but he is happily well again, and he and S. N. Doust should today dispose of the other Australian pair, R. Lycett and R. W. Heath.

The display in doubles of Jones and Doust was the big draw during the week, and they will probably be too good for the present champions, P. M. Davson and J. M. Mavrogordato in the challenge round, assuming, of course, the Australians first win their three remaining matches, which separate them from the right to challenge the holders.

Australia is still also well represented in the mixed, as R. Lycett and G. L. Patterson are in the semi-finals. The strongest pair on paper, however, is, on present form, P. M. Davson and Mrs. Lambert Chambers, and I think they will be too good a combination for the others left in.

\*\*SATURDAYS RESULTS.\*\*

\*\*Mary's Singles.—Semi-finals: P. M. Davson beat W. W. Weibbring (16-06-34, 4-67, 5-67). Gr. Patter and the semi-finals: The Saturbays Results.

SATURDAY'S RESULTS.

Men's Singles. Semi-finals: P. M. Davson beat
W. M. Washburn (6-0, 6-3, 4-6, 7-5); G. L. Patterson beat A. E. Beamis (6-2, 6-3, 6-3).
Ladies' Singles.—Final: Mr. Lambert Chambers
beat Miss E. M. Kyan G. S. Lambert Chambers
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beat Hon. F. M. B. Fisher and A. H. Lowe (3-6,
7-5, 6-4, 6-4).
Mixed Doubles.—R. Lycett and Miss Ryan beat A.
B. Jones and Mrs. O'Neill (6-1, 6-4); G. L. Patterson and Mrs. O'Neill (6-1, 6-4); G. L. Patterson and Mrs. Satterhwaite beat G. T. C. Watt
and Mrs. Beamish (6-3, 6-4).

# A.A.A. LIMITS PRIZE VALUES.

Inadvertent Offenders To Be Reinstated as Amateurs-Saturday's Athletics.

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At the largely attended annual general meeting of the A.A.A., at the Memorial Hall, Farringdon-street, on Saturday's the reconstruction scheme was approach. The state of the stat

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# LEAGUE TABLES.

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# WHY NOT CHARITY CUP TIES BETWEEN LEAGUES CHAMPIONS?

# CHANCE FOR CHARITY FOOTBALL CUP-TIES.

Matches Between Four Champions Would Draw England.

# TO-DAY AT CHELSEA.

Interest is not abating in football. In all the London Combination games there were gates which would have been considered fine ones by the majority of clubs in pre-war days. There were also 12,000 people at Twickenham to see the British Army play the South Africans.

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Brentford, in beating Fulham by 5 goals to 0 accomplished one of their best performances of the season, and in doing it they won the championship of the London Combination, and at the same time pegged back the Arsenal's most dangerous opponents for second position.

All championships have now been decided. Everton, Nottingham Forest, Brentford and Middlesbrough being the respective winners. If the champions of the No.thern Victory League could be brought in and a cup competitor played for charity there would be great interest in the games. If would only mean two laws as a final tie in ordinary years. Just think what it would nean if, say, Brentford and Everton had to play a final tie in London. Liverpool and No.tingham or Middlesbrough could each have one of the semifinals. It would only one specific or, say, the St. Dunstan's Hostel, and two Saturdays in May could well be given to such a deserving cause.

# NORTH V. SOUTH TO-DAY.

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North and South meet to-day at Chelsea, and some splendid football should be seen in this F.A. trial match, which is being played to enable the Selection Committee to choose a side to meet Seotland on the Everton ground on Saturday week. To-day the sides will line up as follow:

low:—
MORTH.—Hardy (Aston Villa); Longworth
(Liverpool) and Duckworth (Blackburn R.); Fleetwood (Everton), McCall (Preston) and Grenyer
(Everton); Thumbuli (Bradiord), Shea (Blackburn R.), Cook (funddersfield), J. Smith (Bolton) and

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(Spursy): Ever tenessal, white theremoral Paudderice (West Ham), Chipperheld Arsenal) and Akeep your eye on Max Woosnam, the Cambridge centre haif. To my mind he is the legitismate successor to little Wedlock at centro half for England. He plays exactly the same sort of worrying game as the little Bristol worrier, who has so often been a thorn in the flesh of the Sectish forwards. I quite expect to find him in the English side.

Aston Villa, beaten at home by 5 to 2 by the Wolves, read; curiously. But the Michanes, for the most part, did not keep its football going, and, with the exception of Birmingham, which filled second position to the Forest in the Midland Section of the League competition, they have Jayers are scattered among the clubs of the kingdom. Aston Villa will not lost many matches by 5 to 2 in real League games next season.

Having won the Lancashire Section championship in runaway style, Everton have relaxed their efforts. So much so indeed that on Saturit County. This is the risk deep by Succession of the League competition, they were also also the season, but what about the Forest, who have lost four successive games in the Midland subsidiary competition after finishing on too in the chief event!

P. J. MOSS. have lost four successive games in the Midland subsidiary competition after finishing on top in the chief event?

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# **EVERTON'S FIRST HOME DEFEAT**

Stubborn Defence Enables Stockport to Win by the Only Goal Scored.

# (STOCKPORT C., 1; EVERTON, O.)

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Exerton sustained their first home reverse of the season at Goodison Park on Saturday. Stockport County have the distinction of spoiling the record with a 1-0 success. It was quite a fine performance In the first half the exchanges were even, the ball for the most part being kept in middleid. The play was not particularly good, the shooting of both sets of forwards proving very weak.

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# WALES V. ALL BLACKS.



LONDON MUNITIONS FOOTEALL LEAGUE.—Davidson stops a rush by Elackwall in the Victory Cup final at Queen's Club.

# BRENTFORD CHAMPIONS.

Brentford Beat Fulham and Win Arsenal Lucky to Divide the the London Combination.

# (ERENTFORD, 5; FULHAM, 0.)

CLAPTON ORIENT, 2; THE ARSEN'LL, 2.)

Brentford played up to real champions his form in winning by 5 to 0 agai.st Pulham. Thus they were heralded as champions at last, after keering their supporters in suspense for the last two or three weeks.

The 15,000 spectators, who gladly raid the shilling admission fee, did not fo.get to.show th irenthusiastic appreciation of the achie-ment. Brentford were always the better side. a d Fulham, who were without Blackman, McNeal, T. rance and Bassett, rarely lad a 1 ok in.

Having played with such distinction had lay the season it was fitting that Cock and the second completed the "hat trick." «Cock second completed the "hat trick." «Cock second completed the "hat trick." «Cock second is the first half, and early in the second half Brentford defence was extremely sound, both Peart and Amos at back showing fine forms owell did they play that Price in goal never had a difficult shot to ston.

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# (WEST HAM UNITED, 3; MILLWALL, 2.)

Although not at full strength, West Ham managed to beat Milwall at Upton Park by the odd goal in five. It was in every way a great struggle, and the 25,000 spectators had plenty of excitement.

The football was always fast and interesting. The Hammers, with Brittan in the centre, were a shade laster forward. Their defence—Cope and Tirrell at faster forward. Their defence—Cope and Tirrell at faster forward. Their defence—Cope and Tirrell at faster forward.

the lead.

Ten minutes after resuming Broad brought the scores level again with a fine shot. The Hanmers, however, again secured the lead ten minutes later. A fine cross by Walden enabled Brittan to steer the ball into the corner of the net.

J. F. W.

# FRIGHT FOR STOKE.

Manchester City Just Fail to Secure Two Points in Drawn Match.

# (STOKE, 1; MANCHESTER C., 1.)

It was only in the downg stages of their match at Stoke and the register of the stage of their match at Stoke and the register of the stage of the s

Stoke had three changes, Maddock, Phillips and Boxley being substituted for Smart, Martin and Turner.

The first half was full of incident, Goodchild being conspicuous in goal. A great shot by Barnes was saved by Morris. After change of ends the Stoke defence was beaten, Barnes scoring a good goal. A little later Fletcher failed to score from a penalty, Morris saving. Near the end Phillips equalised for Stoke.

# ORIENT'S PLUCKY BATTLE.

Points in Homerton Match.

# (CLAPTON ORIENT, 2; THE ARSENSL, 2.)

# CHELSEA BEAT PALACE.

Max Woosnam of Cambridge Plays Well for the Winners.

# (CHELSEA, 3; CRYSTAL PALACE, 0.)

CCHESEA, 3; CRYSTAL PALACE, O.)

Chelsea did not win out of their turn at Stamford Bridge on Saturday when they defeated the Crys al Palace by 2 goals to 0. The quantum of the control of

best coal of the match.

Whittingham pushed the ball through in the true
Corinthian fashion, and Wilding did the rest by the
application of sheer pace and weight.

QUARTER BLOKE.

# MOTHER COUNTRY EQUAL NEW ZEALANDERS' RECORD.

South Africa Beaten at Twickenham After Fluctuating Game.

# DECIDING GAME NECESSARY.

# (ERITISH ARMY, 21pts.; SOUTH AFRICA, 12.)

In their game with South Africa at Twickenham on Saturday the Mother Country or Army fifteen did all that had been expected of them. They won by 21 points to 12, and now replay New Zealand next Wednesday for first place. That will

next Wednesday for first place. That will be at Twickenham.

It was a curious game. In the first quarter of an hour the Army played fine, dashing Rugby, fairly overwhelming the South Africans, and making their ultimate success almost certain.

Sloan finished off a passing bout, Cullen scored after a clever run, and Usher was up to take advantage of a failure in defence. Brown placed a coulde of goals, and in fifteen minutes the Army were 13 points up.

After this b. illant and cramatic opening they began to play un a slipshod manner, but fifteen minutes later Pickles went through a disorganised defence agoal, and South Africa were 15 points when the summer of the su

# CANADA'S FIRST TRY.

Royal Air Force Win a Game of Many Missed Chances.

# (R.A.F., 11 pts.; CANADA, 3 pts.)

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Canana scored ther first say in the Inter-Services Rugby tournament against the Royal Air Force at Leices.er on Saturaay, but they could not keep the advantage, and the R.A.F. eventually won by a goal and two tries to a try—Il points to 5.

The play in the first half was well contested and produced periods of good foo hall on both sides, was to be a first of the produced periods of good foo hall on both sides, was to be a first of the first half was well contested and the foo. work of a rather scrambling order. The Canadians had more than one easy chence of scoring early in the game, but they lost them through had handling. Despite a strong wind, K.A.F. at scored, but failed.

At the interval there was no scoring, but shortly after the resumption the Canadians came away with a fine burst, thanks mainly to good forward work, as the contest of the contest of the first o

# WOLVES SURPRISE THE VILLA.

Heavy Scoring in Midland Victory League Match at Birmingham.

# PUBLIC SCHOOLS RUGEY.

There was a dramatic finish to the Public Schools match at Richmond on Saturday when the South beat of the Public Schools and the lead a quarter of an hour from the end, and relatined it until the last minute. They led by a goal and 2 tries to a goal and 1 try, but then C E. Abelson, of St. Paul's, scored a cleve try, and Conté, of Du wich, kicking a magnificeat

# WIFE OF SHOT DESERTER.

# SAVAGE BEFORE HE JOINED.



A FATHERLESS BABY.



Mrs. Savage and one of ther children.

Private Savage, his wife and two of his little children. The baby he never saw. Private Savage, it will be remembered, was soner. The fatally shot while trying to escape from escort in one of the mean streets near Waterloo

The baby he never saw. Station. He was a deserter, and made a dash for liberty while handcuffed to another prisoner. The bullet entered his lung, and he was taken to a hospital, where he died shortly afterwards.—(Daily Mirror exclusive photographs.)



A TRANSATLANTIC COMPETITOR.—This photograph of the huge Handley-Page aeroplane was taken on Saturday, when the machine made its last trial flight in England. Its size can be gauged by comparing it with the man on the ladder.



UNUSUAL EVENT AT SPORTS.—The Maori Haka, or war dance, which was executed at the sports meeting organised by the New Zealanders at Birmingham.



AT TWICKENHAM.—A South African gets in his kick in the match against the Mother Country.



AT RICHMOND.—Open play in the Public Schools South v. North match. There was an exciting finish.